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## GOING FOR GOLD!

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The HHSS Red Hawks field hockey team plays its first OFSAA match today (Nov. 3) against Dr. Frank J Hayden Secondary School in Kitchener. The gold medal game Saturday afternoon is where the Red Hawks want to be. See the full story and more photos on page 22. *Photo by Alex Coop.*

## Planned gas station fuels controversy

By Alex Coop

Haliburton residents had many questions and concerns about a proposed multi-million-dollar gas station and convenience store which could be built next to the Tim Hortons just outside of town.

They attended an open house at Dysart et al council last week with Leo Palozzi of

Sunray Developments, whose company is behind the planned development.

Excessive noise, light, traffic and aesthetics are among residents' fears.

"It was very productive," Palozzi said after the open house, acknowledging there were high emotions.

"Sometimes people might not feel comfortable speaking during a public

meeting. In an open house like this, it gives people another opportunity to share their thoughts, and also not worry about a time limit or other restrictions that sometimes come with formal public meetings."

After the meeting, Palozzi wouldn't provide an exact project cost, but estimated it would be anywhere from \$2.5-4.5 million, which includes purchase of the land

and other construction costs.

The land was purchased from Haliburton businessman Jerry Walker, and Palozzi says two high-profile petroleum companies are interested in the project.

Several people at the open house asked how the developers can ensure that it fits in with the surroundings.

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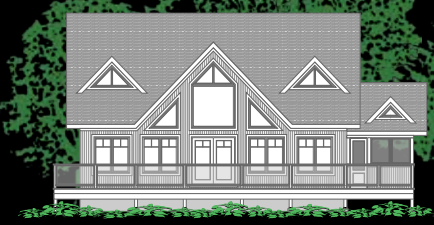
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## 'We want to fit in' developer says

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One woman said many people were on board with having a Tim Hortons before it was built, but were displeased with the location and overall look.

"So, how can we come up to you and say, look, we like the idea, but don't like the design and the architecture," she asked.

The township's planner, Patricia Martin, says Haliburton's official plan has some criteria when it comes to urban design, but clients also have company designs they must try to adhere to as well.

Sunray Developments works hard to ensure their projects are modern, energy-efficient and in-keeping with the surrounding area, Palozzi said.

However, most clients, in particular the two big ones

that he says are interested in the proposal, have their own unique look and colours.

"It's a balancing act, and we have to keep in mind to try and move forward," he said.

The next step for the project will be to present residents with more detailed drawings at a public meeting, incorporating input from the open house. A date has not been set.

"We want to fit in," Palozzi said.

The project was first proposed in August during a council meeting, with council expressing serious reservations.

A report by Martin said the project "appears to be too intense a use for the property given the location of Nimigon Lane and the access requirements of the proposed use."

## Cardiologist cleared of misconduct allegations

By Mark Arike

With files from Sue Tiffin

A Peterborough-based cardiologist has been cleared of allegations of incompetence and professional misconduct.

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO) released the decision, which was made by the discipline committee, last week.

"The committee, having closely considered the evidence, concludes that the College did not meet the burden of proof with respect to the allegations," states a document containing the ruling.

The CPSO alleged Dr. William Hughes "failed to maintain the standard of practice of the profession and engaged in an act or omission relevant to the practice of medicine that ... would reasonably be

regarded by members as disgraceful, dishonourable or unprofessional."

During the hearing, the college's expert, Dr. David Massel, testified Hughes saw too many patients, kept sloppy records, and misdiagnosed a woman with a heart murmur who later died. Massel also claimed about 75 per cent of the tests Hughes ordered were unnecessary.

Hughes, who owns Kawartha Cardiology Clinic, denied the allegations.

Local residents were often referred to him by their family doctors.

If he were convicted, his license could have been revoked. Alternative penalties included a fine up to \$35,000 and restrictions on his license.

The hearing took place over two weeks between February and April of this year.

The committee reserved its finding after the hearing.

## Police lay murder charge in death of Bowmanville man

By Mark Arike

A Fenelon Falls man has been charged with first-degree murder in the death of Bowmanville's David Palmer.

William Savage, 47, was arrested by police last week and has made his first court appearance in Lindsay.

Police announced the development in an online broadcast on Periscope.

Palmer, 47 at the time of his disappearance, was last seen Oct. 2, 2015. His gold-coloured Honda Accord was found abandoned 12 days later near Spruce Lake Trail, a few kilometres north of Haliburton village.

Investigators discovered his remains seven months later in the Spruce Lake area.

The investigation remains "active and ongoing," said

OPP Sgt. Peter Leon.

"The team of investigators is asking for the assistance of the public as we did a few short weeks ago," he said.

Police continue to look for Palmer's wallet, black Samsung flip phone and his St. Louis Blues hat.

Anyone who finds these items or saw suspicious activity is asked to call Det. Const. Matthew Carmichael of the City of Kawartha Lakes OPP Crime Unit at 705-324-6741.

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## Palliative centre breaking ground in early December

By Mark Arike

Pre-construction work has started at the site of the Haliburton Highlands Palliative Centre.

As a result, the Haliburton hospital will redirect patient flow, including access to the physiotherapy department. Patients won't be able to access the department at the back of the building during construction, said Haliburton Highlands Health Services CEO Carolyn Plummer during a recent board meeting.

New signage will be installed around the property and some parking spaces will be reallocated.

A groundbreaking ceremony is scheduled for Dec. 2.

HHHS recently received its final approval from the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care to proceed with the construction of the \$1.25 million centre. Once finished, the 1,600-square-foot space will feature two palliative suites, a kitchen/lounge area, quiet

room and a central washroom. It will be housed off the Haliburton hospital's acute care ward.

It is expected to take six months to build. "No one is more happy than us to have the approval of the palliative [centre]," said Dale Walker, executive director of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF).

The foundation launched a fundraising campaign for the centre more than two years ago titled Making Moments Matter. It exceeded its initial goal of \$900,000 by \$25,000.

But it will continue to fundraise in the coming months since it has committed to the full cost.

"We have no intent of seeing the project go over budget because we're responsible to our donors," said HHHSF chair Peter Oyler.

The foundation expects to wrap up its fundraising campaign before the annual charity golf tournament in July.

## Trestle bridge \$50,000 over budget

By Mark Arike

After undergoing extensive repairs, the Howland Junction trestle bridge reopened last night. However, some unforeseen issues added \$50,000 to the overall cost.

"It's coming along," Craig Douglas, director of public works, told county council on Oct. 26.

Kingston-based company Cruickshank Construction Limited began re-decking the 100 metre-long bridge on Sept. 12. The company had the winning bid of \$202,685 plus tax.

It was discovered that the timber structure contained rotten stringers along the exterior of the bridge. These were replaced with steel members. One additional structural pier cap also had to be replaced.

"It was unfortunate, but necessary to fix the rotten wood members," Douglas told

*The Highlander*. "These are issues that are difficult to predict by the engineer during the design and estimating process because this is a large, inaccessible timber structure."

Fifteen thousand, four-inch spikes were hammered in by hand to keep the deck in place.

"It's beautiful," said Councillor Brent Devolin. "It suits our environment."

Council originally approved all of the repairs at a cost of \$250,000. Half the repairs are being paid for with money from this year's Rail Trail budget. The remainder is coming from the county's bridge reserves.

Staff submitted a funding application to the Canada 150 Community Infrastructure Program to offset the overrun.

The bridge is located three kilometres north of Kinmount, along the Haliburton County Rail Trail. It is used by snowmobilers in the winter months.

## Search for ER doctors continues

By Mark Arike

Haliburton Highlands Health Services (HHHS) is still trying to recruit doctors for the Haliburton hospital's emergency room.

And the pressure for manpower is ever-increasing with the impending departure of a doctor next spring.

"That will leave a really big hole," Dr. Greg Karaguesian, chief of staff, told the HHHS board during a meeting on Oct. 27.

That doctor is doing the equivalent number of shifts as Karaguesian.

In June, HHHS CEO Carolyn Plummer told *The Highlander* they were looking for a full-time ER physician because they can't necessarily rely on newly-recruited family physicians to cover the department as they might not have the necessary training.

Karaguesian said he has spoken to some doctors who are interested, but haven't

made a commitment. Doctors at the Minden hospital aren't in a position to help.

"They're already tight in Minden," he said, adding many of those doctors work in ERs at other hospitals.

Although they are getting by for now, there are two to three empty shifts that need to be filled each month.

Karaguesian, who has worked in the ER for 21 years, has found someone to replace him as chief of staff. Dr. Kristy Gammon will fill the role as of Jan. 1.

"She has agreed to take the post for two years," he said.

The chief of staff provides overall leadership for all physicians at both facilities, said Plummer. This includes responsibilities such as ensuring ERs have physician coverage, performance management and ensuring management is aware of medical equipment needs.

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## Final push for new palliative centre

The cost of the Haliburton Highlands Palliative Centre is now \$1.25 million.

Initially, it was thought that \$1.1 million would see the project to fruition. However, that is a dated figure from a project that is more than two years old.

So far, generous donors across the Highlands have raised \$925,000 through the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF) Making Moments Matter campaign. County residents still have \$325,000 to come up with.

That is a lot of money.

Sitting in her office at Haliburton hospital, the foundation's Dale Walker admits they were hoping it wasn't going to be that high. Her small office is filled with everything palliative centre ... architectural drawings and sketches and posters from the Making Moments Matter campaign.

Walker is surprisingly calm about the prospect. Then again, she was part of the team that raised \$6 million to build two sites in Haliburton and Minden. Indeed, since its inception in 1997, the foundation

has raised more than \$13 million.

That is not to say that Walker takes the challenge lightly. Nor does she take donors for granted. She says the foundation is so fortunate that donors put their trust in it.

The foundation is a well-oiled machine and plans are in place to cover the shortfall.

Residents will be getting their Christmas appeal letters next week. A lottery will be launched in December.

"By the end of May we'll be there," Walker declares. "It's all going to work out."

It's not like the community has a choice. Like it or not, it's how this community funds health care. The centre is 100 per cent donor-funded. As Walker says, the community wants it and needs it.

Across the parking lot, Rachel Fearrey works in the little green house next to the hospital. If anyone can speak to the need, the palliative liaison coordinator is the one.

She covered a recent shift in which a palliative man went from okay to not okay

in a very short period of time and they had to move his roommate out. When the new centre is up and running both patients could have been in the new centre, with its home-like setting, as opposed to a hospital setting.

Fearrey has no problem talking up the fundraising campaign. As she points out, the users could be us, our family, our neighbours.

Ironically, the palliative centre will be built in a space that used to house the maternity beds at the hospital back in the day when babies were delivered there. Now, it will be a space for people to die with dignity.

With the help of the community, the space is poised to come full circle ... from bringing people into the world to sending them on their journey.

One more push.



By Lisa Gervais

## The hunt is on

Few things are as divisive in communities like this one as is the subject of hunting. Few of us sit on the fence when it comes to our feelings towards people who hunt wild animals for sport. For me, first off I don't really consider it a sport simply because my definition of a sport means both sides have a good chance of winning. Few deer can do more than just run. But that's sort of beside the point for this column.

Truth be told that while I used to be adamantly opposed to the practice, time and understanding has put my opinion squarely in the same category as my feelings towards smoking. To define that, it means that while I don't do it and wouldn't do it I'm OK with the fact that some do and basically it's a legally defined part of society that we all, for better or worse, should respect.

I can already hear the militants out there swearing at the paper right now. How dare he endorse hunting? Well, let's be clear; I'm not endorsing it, I'm just saying that we all need to both understand and respect it. Those who can't are clearly in one of two camps. Either you're vegan or you're delusional.

I respect vegans with the same ferocity I would respect hunters (and so should hunters respect true vegans by the way). Vegan culture is an ethical (and difficult)

lifestyle to adhere to. I dated a vegan for two years and know how ethically supreme (not superior) they are. Those who fully adopt the vegan lifestyle are doing so out of high moral beliefs. They see the world a certain way and live their life according to that. Regardless of where you stand on this issue you can't help but admire people who dedicate themselves to such a rarified principle. These people are the only ones who are truly allowed to speak out against hunting.

Which leads to the second group: the delusional. To put it bluntly, if you eat meat you cannot (repeat cannot) argue the validity of hunting. You might not like the "sport" but you certainly need to respect it. This argument, by the way, is the only one hunters need to win. The logic being that meat eaters are actually OK with the concept of killing an animal for their sustenance, they just prefer not to see it happen. As much as you might squirm about this argument, you know it's true.

And please don't counter with that absurd argument about certain animals being raised as livestock as if that justifies its death in some way. This is ridiculous reasoning. How can a chicken or a lamb being slaughtered be rationalized in some way because 'that's what they're raised for?' If you shudder at the thought of a cow being raised in cramped unbearable

conditions before its death then how can you have any issue with a doe that has thousands of acres to potentially get away from the big bad hunter? Ultimately, and unfortunately, that logic has no validity whatsoever. An animal's death as food is the same whether it's trapped in a cage or hunted down in a forest.

Truth be told we live in a society where we're completely separated from our food sources. Our bananas come from some place in South America and our veal comes from a slaughterhouse in western Ontario. We have no connection, more so no understanding, of how our food gets to the grocery store. All those pieces of red meat you see nicely wrapped in cellophane was an animal, up walking around just a few days ago. This is exactly why some of us get so upset at seeing that cute deer hunted for its meat. We see the connection and we don't particularly like it. But unless you're prepared to completely cut all meat from your life, then you need to seriously reconsider your stance towards hunting. Whether you pull the trigger or someone else does, a dead animal is still a dead animal.



By Charlie Teljeur

### Correction:

A caption underneath last week's photo "Soyers Lake comes through again" incorrectly stated that the organization raised \$7,500 for the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF). Soyers Lake raised \$500 this year, and the \$7,500 is the amount they have raised to date for HHHSF. *The Highlander* regrets the error.

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# Editorial opinion

## — weeWisdom

### I have a cold



By Anabelle Craig

Hello Haliburton, I have a cold. You're probably thinking this is going to be a boring article or an article where I ask for pity while I lie in bed moaning for my mommy. Well, it is! But I still have some interesting facts and info about the common cold.

We've all had those days. When your sinuses are so stuffed up that you go through boxes and boxes of tissues each day. When your throat is so sore that they force you to drink a 'hot tottie' or choke down a spoonful of that disgusting Buckley's. Ew. And don't forget those neti pots, because who doesn't want to fill their sinuses with salt water and flush their skull of unwanted snot. Colds are the worst ... but at the same time, the best. Why? Staying home from school, and watching movies all day, while having your parents make you endless bowls of chicken noodle soup and honey lemon tea all while curled up in your comfiest sweaters and socks. Did I mention sleeping in, warm baths, reading books, and listening to music? No wonder Ferris Bueller wanted a sick day!

And then there's the bad parts about being sick. Like that atrocious apple cider vinegar my mom insists kills any and all germs, the constant sneezing, staying up all night with a gut wrenching cough, or those sore throats that feel like you swallowed shards of glass. Yet out of all the common illnesses I would prefer to get, no I would beg for, is the rhinovirus. Chickenpox, strep throat or

the dreaded flu are all ailments that I would trade my Costco size box of tissues in exchange for a few days of sneezing.

The pesky rhinovirus can lie in wait two to three days before showing any symptoms and can last an average of seven to 10 days. Unsure if your cold is a genuine cold and not influenza virus in disguise? Runny and stuffed up noses are more a rhinovirus symptom and generally don't lead to more serious health problems, such as pneumonia, bacterial infections, or hospitalizations. The flu can have some

grave complications.

Kids can get an average of four to 10 colds a year, especially kids in daycare and kindergarten.

Mr. Cold can last up to 48 hours on surfaces outside the body such as door knobs, shopping carts, computer keyboards and light switches. One sneeze can produce more than 100,000 germs and can spread up to six feet. So the best way to keep those germs at bay is to cover your nose and mouth. And then ... wash your hands. No, really wash your hands.

Simply washing your hands with soap and warm water can stop the spread of many contagious diseases. Did you know that you are at greater risk of spreading germs in a simple handshake than sharing a kiss?

'Tis the season to feel under the weather. So stay warm, grab a good book, a bowl of chili and treat yourselves to the mega box of ultra-thick, non-nose scratching, aloe rich tissues and rest.

And if in doubt that your cold is a cold anymore, visit your local health practitioner.

## PHOTO OF THE WEEK



The Haliburton Highlands Stroke Support Group raised the Stroke Recovery Canada flag at the Minden Hills township office to commemorate World Stroke Day, Saturday, Oct. 29. Reeve Brent Devolin and Councillors Lisa Schell and Jean Neville joined some of the members of the group. Submitted by Lois Rigney.

## Scared to wear for fear of offending

So, what did you dress up as on Halloween? And, did you upset anyone, or even worse offend them? Perhaps I should rephrase that and say, did you stop to consider your costume and whether or not it mimics some stereotype of a group that may be deemed special and, as such, is exempt from the normal no-holds-barred approach when it comes to dress-up.

As you may be feeling from my candour I am a little disappointed by the politically correct outpouring that has surrounded this Halloween. In truth, I shouldn't be upset at all. I'm English and we really don't give a hoot about Halloween, favouring instead to celebrate Guy Fawkes Night on Nov. 5 when we ceremonially burn an effigy Guy, or some other unsavoury character, and let off fireworks to celebrate his grisly

death. I hope anyone out there called Guy isn't offended because it's not you I'm roasting, honest.

Add to that, Little Z dressed up as Darth Vader for Halloween; can't offend him can I?

I think you see where I'm coming from on this issue and so it'll be no surprise that I think it all a bit over the top when I hear about party stores pulling First Nations head dresses out of their wardrobe (I refrain calling them Native American, Indian, or Aboriginal head dresses because these words will definitely offend, while I'm led to believe 'First Nations' is only a partial slur).

I'm told it's about improper appropriation by those not of a certain culture.

And I can see the point if it were a corporation cashing in on First Nations

culture but it's a five year old who wants so badly to dress up like the Native hero from a book or movie. Come on, people.

Does that mean that our kids should not dress up as firemen or princesses because they might belittle these occupational and royal minorities, all in the name of wanting to wear a costume like their favourite character, or hero?

To make it even more ridiculous, clown costumes are being frowned upon too because of some ridiculous craze in the States where 'scary clowns' are jumping out on people and giving them a fright. It's a clown, for Pete's sake. Red nose, silly hair, terrible make-up.

And it's Halloween, you're supposed to get the odd scare. Get a grip folks, Halloween is all about the candy. It's a sham of a celebration conjured up by confectionery manufacturers to make a

huge ugly giant profit. And no, I won't apologize to giants for calling them ugly.

But back to Little Z. I guess I should check whether there are any budding Storm Troopers out there who have had their maniacal Empire ruling dreams crushed by my son wandering around Haliburton, slurring the words, "the force is strong in you Luke," while cramming candy down his gullet.

If there are ... well, suck it up you pathetic Death Star defending, no speaking part, plastic looking, crappy robot wannabees and get your own candy!

Happy Halloween and I hope you scared, or offended, the crap out of someone.

## The Outsider



By Will Jones



# Highlander opinion

## Eye on the street: What are you going to do with your extra hour during daylight savings time?



**Linda Nottage**

Wilberforce

I will go for a walk.



**Elli Nash**

Haliburton

There's not enough light in the morning, so I'll definitely use it to walk my dog.



**Neel Sheh**

Haliburton

I'm going to sleep in.



**Joshua Colicchia**

Minden

Probably sleep in.



**Collin Martin**

Minden

I'll spend that time playing some guitar.

Photos and interviews by Alex Coop

## County in brief

### Forest Festival returns next summer

A popular summer event is returning to the Highlands next year.

The Forest Festival will be back for its 10th season Aug. 16-20, 2017, the Haliburton Forest said in a press release.

"This is great news for the Forest Festival's many fans and supporters," said festival general manager Lesley English. "It seems fitting that a music festival that offers such a wealth of Canadian talent returns just in time for Canada's sesquicentennial [anniversary]."

The festival was cancelled this summer after the Forest lost a court battle with the Municipality of Dysart et al.

The business was ordered to demolish several buildings and building extensions, including one of the festival's two venues, the Logging Museum.

Since then, the Forest's staff, as well as contracted architects and engineers, have worked with officials from the municipality to bring the buildings into compliance with the Ontario Building Code.

The festival features Canadian talent over five days.

Many of the concerts take place at the Bone Lake Amphitheatre, an outdoor venue on Bone Lake. (Mark Arike and Alex Coop)

### Man charged in connection with thefts

In the past several weeks, Haliburton Highlands OPP have responded to numerous incidents in aft Ingoldsby area involving thefts of property and reports of suspicious persons. As a result of an investigation, a Haliburton County resident was arrested and charged.

Kyle Gamblen, 31, has been charged with two counts of theft under \$5,000, three counts of careless storage of a firearm and one count of adult disguise with intent contrary to the Criminal Code of Canada.

The accused will appear on Dec. 7, 2016 in provincial court to answer to the charges. (Lisa Gervais)

### Pond hockey comes back to Haliburton

The Canadian National Pond Hockey Championships are returning to Haliburton.

Haliburton resident and former general manager of the Pinestone Resort, John Teljeur, told *The Highlander* Wednesday morning that he bought the tournament from the event's former executive director, Neil Lumsden, late in the summer.

Lumsden was becoming increasingly busy with his new job as Brock

University's athletic director, and was looking to sell the tournament to someone, Teljeur says.

The tournament will be hosted by the Pinestone Resort Jan. 27-29 and Feb. 3-5.

Teljeur said he approached Pinestone after purchasing the tournament, and the resort was quick to jump on the opportunity to host it at their pond.

Cindy Makepeace, the interim manager of the resort, said they are happy to host the event.

"This event is one of the largest events of its kind and we look forward to hosting the participants as well as being a major sponsor to the event," he said.

Teljeur wouldn't specify how much he bought the tournament for, but said it was a fair price that was worth the investment.

"We talked about how we didn't want to cancel the event two years in a row, that could completely lose your audience," he said.

Teljeur said the event will be largely the same as it was in 2014, with some minor changes.

Registration for the tournament opened yesterday.

The tournament was cancelled last year due to a lack of support and sponsors. (Alex Coop)

### Minden makes top 25

It shouldn't come as a surprise, but

Minden is one of the friendliest communities in Canada, according to expedia.ca's travel blog. The blog entry, written by Jennifer

Cuellar, says Minden is an "escape from the everyday bustle of life" and that residents in the community are "friendly and easygoing," thanks to the cross-country ski trails in the winter and the cool lakes in the summer.

Minden cracked the top 25 ahead of Saint-Hyacinthe, Que.

Carp, Ont., is ranked number one. (Alex Coop)

### Health unit offers free quit smoking program

Smokers who want to kick the habit can sign up for free support in Haliburton County.

The Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit and the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health are teaming up to offer the Smoking Treatment for Ontario Patients (STOP) Program.

"If you want to quit smoking, attending a STOP Program in your area is a worthwhile investment of your time," said public health nurse Karen Taylor in a report.

The program will be offered on Oct. 26 in the county. Other locations include the City of Kawartha Lakes on Nov. 19 and Dec. 8, and Northumberland County on Nov. 26.

Those interested must complete a brief questionnaire by calling 1-866-888-4577.

There are other programs available but this is for people who have nowhere to turn, said Taylor.

Participants will receive five weeks of free nicotine patches, as well as educational material and other resources.

Smoking causes more than 230,000 deaths in Canada each year, according to Health Canada.

For facts about quitting smoking, visit [ontario.ca/page/support-quit-smoking](http://ontario.ca/page/support-quit-smoking). (Mark Arike)

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# Highlander news



Warden Carol Moffatt reads a letter from MPP Laurie Scott to paramedics Christopher Parish, centre, and Deeno Pearsell. Photo by Mark Arike.

## Paramedics earn exemplary service medals

By Mark Arike

Two long-serving paramedics have been recognized by the Governor General of Canada for their commitment to Haliburton County.

Deeno Pearsell and Christopher Parish, both recipients of the Emergency Medical Services Exemplary Service Medal, were congratulated by county council on Oct. 26.

"Thank you for your years of service,"

said Warden Carol Moffatt.

Pearsell and Parish have been paramedics in the county for the past 25 years.

Although she was unable to attend, MPP Laurie Scott extended her

congratulations in letters to both men.

Recipients must have completed at least 20 years of exemplary service, including a minimum of 10 years performing duties involving potential risk.

## Cardiff residents support overhauling water service

By Mark Arike

The majority of Cardiff residents who attended an information session on upgrades to the community's water service know what they want.

"As far as I'm concerned, we're moving forward with option two," said Highlands East Reeve Dave Burton in an interview.

Three options for funding repairs to the outdated water system were presented to the 31 residents who attending the meeting on Oct. 27 at the Cardiff Community Centre.

They were in favour of the full project at a cost of about \$1.2 million—which is scaled back by more than \$100,000 by reducing some engineering fees and contingencies. It would be paid for with upwards of \$693,000 in government funding, \$300,000 from reserves and the remaining \$184,000 from users.

With 261 users, the total impact is \$705.52 per person. If amortized over 13 years, the annual increase to their bill is \$54.27.

Residents currently pay \$603 per year for the service.

The other options were to proceed with the full project and finance it over 10-25 years, or scale it back or don't proceed at all.

But on Tuesday, just two days before the meeting, it was discovered that scaling back wouldn't be possible as it would result in a reduction in funding.

This is why a mail-out wasn't sent to residents prior to the meeting.

"It would end up being counterproductive," CAO Shannon Hunter told *The Highlander*.

"It was felt that instead of further

confusing people, we would look at what we had available and provide all of the details on the day of the information session."

All residents will receive a mail-out once the final costs are confirmed. A bylaw will be prepared for council's approval.

Those in attendance asked many "pertinent questions" she said.

The water system is about 60 years old, said Burton. The existing cast iron water main has leaking valves and needs maintenance.

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# Highlander news

## Future of Scotch Line landfill up for discussion

By Lisa Gervais

Installing a weigh station, establishing a hazardous waste depot and compacting recyclables are just three ways Minden Hills can make more money from its landfill and also extend its life, a consultant has found.

Cambium Inc. tabled two reports at council's Oct. 27 meeting and Minden Hills is following up with a public meeting this Saturday to garner feedback on the draft plans.

The reports are a lengthy 25-year development and operational plan for the Scotch Line waste disposal site and a shorter assessment of opportunities for revenue generation and diversion.

Dave Bucholtz, general manager environmental services for Cambium Inc., presented the reports to council.

Bucholtz said the estimated lifespan of the Scotch Line landfill is 30 years depending on fill rate, cover, compaction methods and the impact of the Irondale waste disposal site closure. This is based

on average annual dumping of about 7,000 cubic metres.

Going forward, Cambium is recommending two separate areas to place materials. There would be an area where residents and cottagers could drive in to dispose of non-paying material and then exit. Those with paying material would have to go over a weigh scale to access another area. In that way, he said traffic would not back up.

"The township will be able to install a scale at the site and ensure traffic flow at the transfer station is simplified," the report said.

It goes on to say, "various waste streams are currently charged by the cubic yard with the volume being estimated by the on-site attendant.

The construction of a proper weigh station would provide for a more accurate, fair, and consistent method of charging for these streams, particularly construction and

operating costs only while another would cost \$50,000 to \$60,000.

Minden Hills council rejected a compaction proposal in June.

The report also addresses leachate seeps at the landfill. However, it concludes that "to date, surface water impact has not been observed to be adversely impacted down-gradient of these seeps." Despite that, Cambium's report includes seep management options.

Coun. Jeanne Anthon said the life of the landfill has been extended from previous reports and wanted to know why. Bucholtz attributed this to the township chipping bulk materials and mixing this with sand as landfill cover. He added that more material was being diverted from the landfill.

Anthon also wanted to know what can be done about seagulls which are affecting local waterways and causing swimmer's itch. Bucholtz said birds of prey and cannons are two commonly-used seagull diversion methods.

Coun. Pam Sayne said a 30-year lifespan was not sustainable. "So we have a long way to go." She mentioned cutting-edge waste diversion programs in Halifax. She went on to ask about incineration saying technology now being used in Europe has come a long way. Bucholtz pointed out there is a waste incinerator in Durham region. "It is difficult for smaller communities but we could easily do it. How much do you want to spend?"

Bucholtz said while this draft plan is for Scotchline Road, the township should be looking at an overall municipal waste plan in the next 5-6 years.

To see the full reports, log onto [mindenhills.ca/](http://mindenhills.ca/)

### Have your say:

A public meeting is being held Saturday, Nov. 5 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in council chambers, 7 Milne St., Minden.

There is also a survey available on the Minden Hills website. Surveys may be completed until Nov. 10.

Any questions or comments should be addressed to: Ivan Ingram, environmental & property operations manager 705-286-1260.

demolition waste which generated over \$200,000 in tipping fees in 2015."

The cost is estimated at \$70,000 to \$100,000 excluding road work and a scale house.

Cambium is also recommending a permanent or semi-permanent household hazardous waste depot to potentially increase diversion and keep harmful products from entering the landfill.

Start-up costs for such a program are estimated at \$60,000, with an annual operating cost of approximately \$5,000.

Compacting things such as fibres and containers will also cut the number of truck trips and save the township money, Cambium said. One option would entail

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### Meetings & Events

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**November 5** 10:00 am, Public meeting for input on the Scotch Line Landfill Development & Operational Plan, Minden Council Chambers

**November 10** 9:00 am, COTW meeting, Minden Council Chambers

**November 11** 10:30 am, Remembrance Day ceremony, Main Street Minden

**November 24** 9:00 am, Regular meeting of Council, Minden Council Chambers

For Council, Boards & Advisory Committee meetings, visit [www.mindenhills.ca](http://www.mindenhills.ca)

### Volunteers Needed!

The Holiday season will soon be upon us and the Township of Minden Hills is in need of volunteers to help get our Town decorated for the season. The following are areas where assistance is needed:

#### Bough Making

There will be a bough making workshop on Wednesday November 9th from 6:30-8:00pm at the Community Centre where volunteers will learn how to create greenery boughs and also mesh bows. These items will later be used to decorate the Town for the season.

#### Town Decorating

We are in need of volunteers to help put up lights, and boughs, for the holiday season. Anyone interested can meet in the Village Green on Monday November 14th at 10:00am.

If you would like more information on please contact Elisha at 286-2298

### Fire Hydrant Flushing

Mandatory Fire Hydrant flushing is scheduled to be performed throughout the Minden Water Distribution System during the 2 week period between November 4th and 18th.

During this time please allow your water to run for 2-5 minutes to clear any discolouration through the home plumbing.

For more info, please call Ivan Ingram, Environmental & Property Operations Manager (705) 286-1260 ext. 216

### Daylight Savings Time

Remember to set your clocks BACK one hour on Sunday November 6th



### Riverwalk & Wetlands Boardwalk – Winter Usage

The Boardwalk & Logger's Crossing Bridge are cleared of snow regularly but are not sanded or salted. Residents are advised to "Exercise Caution" when using as these pathways could develop slippery conditions.

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# Highlander business



New Beaver Theatre owner Rahim Lakhani attends the SPARC symposium at the Pinestone over the weekend. *Photo by Lisa Gervais.*

## New owner of Beaver Theatre seeks input

By Lisa Gervais

New Minden Beaver Theatre owner Rahim Lakhani attended this past weekend's SPARC symposium at the Pinestone.

During the opening last Thursday afternoon, he was introduced to workshop participants by SPARC interim network coordinator Michael Clipperton and chair of communications Tammy Rae.

Lakhani told *The Highlander* that he has begun a feasibility study into the former theatre's future.

He added he would be making a delegation to the Township of Minden Hills committee of the whole meeting on Nov. 10. He encouraged anybody with ideas about the future of the building to attend that meeting which will start at 9 a.m. in the council chambers at 7 Milne St.

As to why he was attending the SPARC symposium, Lakhani said he came to find out "who's who" in the local arts scene because "I need that community support."

The former theatre is located on Water Street in downtown Minden. It was originally built in 1954. After closing, it reopened following extensive renovations in June 2009 with plans to be a special events facility, presenting movies, theatre, music and art. However, not long after that, pipes burst and it flooded, resulting in a multi-million-dollar lawsuit. It has been sitting boarded up ever since.

If you can't make the council meeting, Lakhani wants you to e-mail him at [MindenHillsTheatre@gmail.com](mailto:MindenHillsTheatre@gmail.com). He said the feedback will help with the feasibility study.



### Transat Travel celebrates renovation

Transat Travel's branch coordinator Linda Coneybeare, Dysart et al Reeve Murray Fearrey and Transat Travel's senior travel professional Machenzie Neumann cut the ribbon to mark the grand opening of the newly-renovated Haliburton business. *Photo by Lisa Gervais.*



The Township of Minden Hills  
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*Saturday November 26th at 11:30am*

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Ruth O'Connell at the Minden Hills Cultural Centre. Photo by Lisa Gervais.

## Living history expert joins cultural centre

By Mark Arike

With files from Alex Coop

Ruth O'Connell has a passion for the preservation of history.

And she wants others to look back so they can better understand the present.

"I think it's really important," said O'Connell. "It tells a lot about where we've come from and why we're here. There's a lot of opportunity to learn from our past."

O'Connell was recently hired as the curatorial programming assistant for the Minden Hills Cultural Centre. In the new role, she is responsible for programming and collections management.

Originally from Bowmanville, O'Connell studied art history at the University of Waterloo followed by museum management and curatorship at Fleming College in Peterborough. Most recently she worked at Lang Pioneer Village Museum in Keene, Ont. in various roles, including interpreter, and administrative and volunteer coordinator.

She worked there for nearly two years before discovering the job posting in Minden.

"I just thought it was an opportunity to learn a lot and a place where I could use some of the skills I've been educated on," she said, referring to her new job.

And O'Connell is no stranger to the Highlands. Her aunt and uncle live in West Guilford and she has visited many times. She also has family in Fenelon Falls.

She is staying with her aunt until she finds her own accommodations.

Two of her big goals are to enhance programming at the centre and introduce new visitors to its offerings.

"I really believe that to further develop a cultural site, it's best to look at what they have and see what's successfully working for the museum at the moment," she said.

About 4,700 people visited the centre last year, which is a 54 per cent increase from 2014 when only 2,700 came through the doors.

The centre's assets include its "amazing buildings" and collection of artifacts, she

said.

O'Connell has been welcomed by her fellow staff and is "excited" about what lies ahead. She has noticed the community is full of people with a variety of skill sets.

"I would like to have volunteers, maybe, some day in the future," she added.

Curator Laurie Carmount is pleased to have O'Connell on her team.

"Her expertise in living history and museum exhibitions is the important component that she offers which will allow growth with the Minden Hills Museum and Heritage Village programming," said Carmount.

O'Connor is open to feedback from the community.

In her spare time, she plans on enjoying many of the outdoor activities the Highlands has to offer.

"I've come at the most beautiful time—autumn," she said.

"The environment here is just really attractive."

To learn more about the cultural centre, visit [mindenhills.ca/cultural-centre](http://mindenhills.ca/cultural-centre).

## Second SPARC Symposium 'brilliant'

By Mark Arike

More than 100 people from across Canada and beyond descended on Haliburton for the second SPARC Symposium.

And its organizers are fired up following four days of learning, networking and performance.

"I thought it was brilliant," said Fay Martin, chair of the symposium committee. "I was very happy with it."

SPARC, otherwise known as Supporting Performing Arts in Rural Communities, hosted its inaugural summit two years ago.

The recent event, which took place Oct. 27-30 at the Pinestone Resort, united rural creators, producers and presenters to exchange information and ideas. It featured

30 keynote speakers who provided 20 workshops and three plenaries.

"I would say there was a narrower, in some ways, spectrum of people there. But also deeper," said Martin. "The people who came were by and large seriously involved in the performing arts."

Other highlights included a screening of *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*

on Friday night, and the "Un-Gala" dinner and evening of selected performances on Saturday.



Fay Martin, chair of the symposium committee, welcomes participants on Friday. Photo by Mark Arike.

The goal of SPARC is to "ignite and help sustain performing arts communities in rural Ontario."

It received more than half a million dollars from the Ontario Trillium Foundation last year to develop its province-wide network over three years.

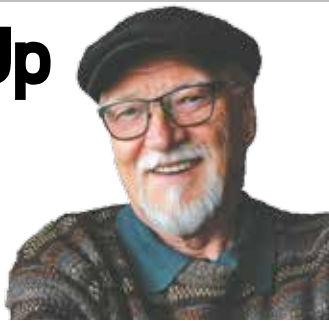
The next symposium will take place in 2018. The location is yet to be determined, but it won't be in Haliburton County.

"We're making sure the network isn't Haliburton-centric," she said.



# Highlander arts

## What's Up Affordable art is resurrected and re-loved



By George Farrell

Once a year there is an event that occurs where people can obtain original art that is both affordable and of good quality. The event is called Art Heaven. It takes place at the Rails End Gallery and the occasion is a great way to get into the spirit of Christmas by giving and receiving.

Art Heaven is the brainchild of Rails End gallery curator Laurie Jones.

"With Art Heaven people donate objects and works of art that they no longer adore," Jones explained. "People have art in their closets or attics that they had forgotten about. The thrill is gone for them with this art, but what do they do with it? People might still be somewhat attached to these pieces, so they don't want to just throw them away. What we're doing is helping them to let it go while giving that piece of work a resurrection and another chance at being loved," she said. "And this is a great way to make art, and art with a story, more accessible to the 20 to 40-year-old group, who might not yet have disposable incomes."

"So we're putting out the call for original art, fine reproductions and photography. We are not selling photocopies or posters, but we will accept ceramic items, metal and wooden sculptures, jewellery, stained and blown glass," Jones said.

At Art Heaven 2015 we donated several framed originals, and we also picked up three wonderful pieces which now adorn our walls. Jones mentioned that the highest price for a piece last year was \$200, but most of the art for sale is considerably less than that, and if memory serves, we paid under \$100 total, for our three pieces. If you have nothing to donate, no problem, you can still purchase art and be part of the resurrection process.

The money raised from art that is sold goes to support the community arts programming at the gallery. Last year there were

more than

200 items sold and approximately \$2,500 was raised. "We're aiming for \$3,000 this year," Jones said.

Through her innovative programming and fundraising concepts Jones has helped to cultivate a local appreciation of original art, and she's done it in an entertaining manner. For instance at this year's Art Heaven the doors at the Rails End Gallery will be decorated as the pearly gates, and volunteers will be wearing halos. For the opening reception, which takes place from 3-8 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 25, the Ukeladies will be playing and singing uplifting spirituals. There will also be a cash bar and refreshments.

Art Heaven is a great way to resurrect your unwanted art, so be an art angel, and between now and Nov. 25 take your once-loved pieces to the Rails End Gallery, where they can be loved again. All donations and sales are final, but unlike regular exhibitions where you can't take your purchased artwork home until the exhibition is over, all pieces can be taken home.

Art Heaven runs until Dec. 23, and the Rails End Gallery is open Wednesday to Saturday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday from noon to 3 p.m. The gallery is located at 23 York St. in Haliburton. For more information call 705-457-2330, or visit railsendgallery.com



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Martin Hofland was interviewed for the Veterans of Haliburton County.

## Risked life for bread

**By Jennifer Hughey**

Martin Hofland was only seven when the Second World War hit the Netherlands.

Hofland, now 83, is a Second World War survivor. He sat with *Highlander TV* in December 2015, talking about how his family was forced to move 10 times in five years.

"I ran over mine fields, just for a slice of bread," Hofland said. "Will you run over a mine field for a slice of bread? In wartime, they don't give you time. You just act. Do what you have to do."

Hofland's Haliburton home is where he displays his own personal museum, which holds his vast collection of Second World War artifacts.

He remembered the time he was woken up by bombs as the war reached his doorstep.

"I woke up my father. I was seven years old. The whole sky was full of airplanes from the Germans. I went up to my parents' bedroom ... saying, 'look at the sky!'"

Hofland and his family were forced to move to a German army base and his father was conscripted into a labour camp for the German war effort.

He spoke of the persecution and constant attacks against the Jewish population in his community. His parents were even hiding Jews in their home on the German army base, but he didn't know it.

"... I had seen Jewish people running, beaten and whatever," Hofland said. "I understand all that."

He said it was mandatory to learn quickly, in order to survive. He said he and his family would risk their lives to help themselves and others.

Near the end of the war, people would even risk their lives for food.

"If you drop dead from starvation, I have no chance [anymore]," Hofland said, adding that he started to pick up quickly that if he ran over a mine field, he may have more of a chance.

One time, he ran through a mine field to escape enemy forces who were chasing him because he was trying to take a loaf of bread.

"I went through the forest ... and then I came to an open field," he said. Hofland said he saw two bikes leaning against a building but no sign of soldiers. He learned soon after that there were Germans eating inside and that he would have run for his life over food because he feared not eating again.

Hofland wrote a memoir, *Warboy*, about his fears and the chances he took.

For more, see The Veterans of Haliburton County series on *Highlander TV*.

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# Highlander community

## Women Who Care prepare to meet

By Lisa Gervais

Gathered around a table at the Village Chalet in Minden, Joan Featherstone, Jude Fisher and Susan Foster hold an impromptu meeting for the newly-formed 100 Women Who Care Haliburton County chapter.

Over coffee, they are ironing out details for their inaugural meeting, which will be held just down the street at the Dominion Hotel at 6.30 p.m. Nov. 23.

So far, more than 20 women have signed up for the chapter.

"And I hope that we'll grow," says Featherstone, who heard about the group from her daughter.

Women who have already committed to the group are encouraged to attend the get-together but those considering joining are also urged to come out. They should RSVP to Featherstone a week before as she needs to know numbers to organize refreshments.

The idea is simple, according to the ladies. The plan is to meet every four months, or three times a year. Each woman will donate \$100 or they can pair up and donate \$50 each per meeting. They will then donate that money to a chosen charity.

At the Nov. 23 meeting, they will discuss eligible charities and choose one for the first fundraising drive. The charities will change.

So, even if they have 20 women join, that is 20 women multiplied by \$100, equalling \$2,000. For women long accustomed to laborious tasks such as baking pies for bake



Jude Fisher, Joan Featherstone and Susan Foster plan for the first 100 Women Who Care Haliburton County chapter meeting. Photo by Lisa Gervais

sales or selling tickets for raffles, it seems like a much simpler and less time-consuming option, the women said.

Further, according to Featherstone, the meetings are only one hour and mainly about socializing so will be a lot of fun.

Featherstone added the simplicity continues since the charities will issue tax receipts directly to the individual donors.

Fisher said she is looking forward to meeting some new people. And Foster said that a relatively small number of women can achieve some big results.

They have done the calculations and it amounts to about 80 cents a day. Fisher said there will be women in the community who

have been recipients of charitable donations in the past and will want to give back.

"Big businesses are already extremely generous but you can only go to the well so many times," Fisher said.

The idea is "very grassroots," agreed Featherstone. She said that at first their base was Minden but they are starting to garner interest from women all over the county.

Fisher says, "I like the fact that it's something in which we're not trying to take over the world but rather are a part of a small group of caring women wanting to help local charities in Haliburton County."

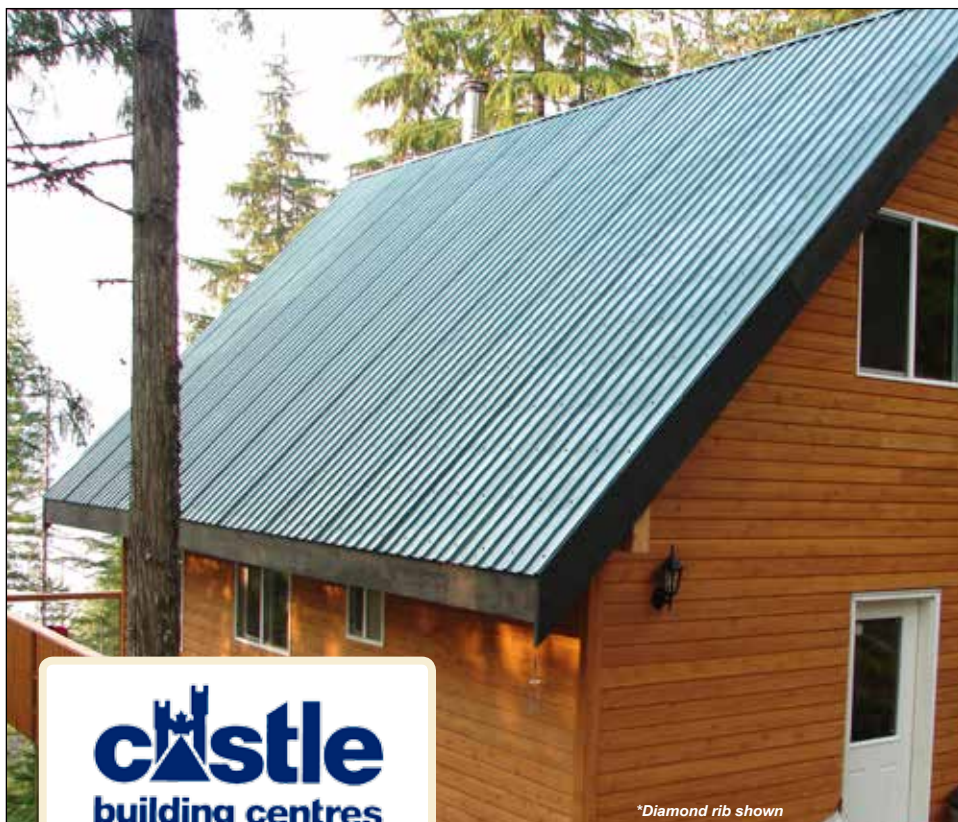
Foster adds that she's attracted to the idea, "because it's a small group, and not so

intimidating to become part of a larger group of 100 women. I would like to meet more women in the area and it is not like it is a major fundraising campaign."

That being said, it is commitment, Featherstone said, and they want women who are serious about remaining with the group longer-term.

The first 100 Women Who Care group was formed in November, 2006 in Jackson, Mich. At their first one-hour meeting, they raised \$10,000 to buy 300 new baby cribs for an organization in their city. There are now 52 chapters across Canada.

For more information, contact Joan at 705-286-4376 or curriejlf@gmail.com



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Jordyn Brown, left, and Kathy Burk prepare a shoebox at St. George's Anglican Church in Haliburton as part of this year's Operation Christmas Child campaign. Also known as Samaritan Purse shoeboxes, they will be shipped overseas to needy children. *Photo by Lisa Gervais*

## Samaritans fill shoeboxes

By Lisa Gervais

Kathy Burk and Jordyn Brown stand in the basement of St. George's Anglican Church in Haliburton with a shoebox between them. It is filled with items destined for needy children overseas. Jordyn places a facecloth inside while Kathy lowers a toothbrush. Personal care items such as these are in demand, as are school supplies, clothing and accessories, crafts and activities, toys and at least one "wow" item, something that is really going to surprise and delight the recipient.

"The local goal is 650 shoeboxes," says Burk, who is the logistics coordinator. "We had 600 last year." She reminded people not to put candy in the boxes.

She said 18 groups are involved in this year's collection.

People are being encouraged to shop local to fill their boxes. Some of the participating vendors include Haliburton V&S which is giving a 20 per cent discount on all regular priced items for the boxes and Needful Things (Molou) which is offering a 15 per cent discount on purchases totaling more than \$10.

Drop-off week this year is Nov. 14-17, Monday to Wednesday 9 a.m. to noon and Thursday 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. The main

collections centre again this year is St. George's Anglican Church, 617 Mountain St. Haliburton. Boxes can also be dropped off at Master's Bookstore, 195 Highland St., Cranberry Cottage at 162 Highland St., or Needful Things at 216 Highland St.

People are encouraged to include an envelope with \$7 to help with shipping.

Burk said that Youth Unlimited donated its cube van to help transport the boxes to Peterborough.

People can also order the boxes online.

Burk supplies a testimonial of how important the boxes are from a 12-year-old girl in Madagascar.

"I had always longed for pens, head bands, and a school bag. Imagine how overjoyed I was when I opened the shoebox and saw those very things in it. God used a stranger, someone just like me, to bless me by meeting my very need. I used to like swearing and fighting, but when I studied The Greatest Journey lessons I gave my life to Jesus Christ and from then on, have hated swearing and fighting."

Information on The Samaritan's Purse organization and on Operation Christmas Child specifically, can be found on [samaritanpurse.ca](http://samaritanpurse.ca)

For more information call Burk 705-457-2357 or Brown 705-457-0038.



## Fuel For Warmth gets a splitter

Scotty Morrison, his son-in-law Rob Gray and friend Marty Udvari, have donated a new Splitfire wood splitter to Fuel For Warmth. Pictured, left to right, Marilynne Lesperance, Joanne Barnes, Barkley Cooney, Scotty Morrison and Sandy Cooney. *Submitted.*



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# Highland Storm



## Local League Weekly Schedule

### Thursday, November 3

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 Team Pharmasave- Practice- Minden @ 6PM-7PM  
 Team Canadian Tire- Practice- Minden @ 7PM-8PM  
 Team Home Hardware- Practice- Haliburton @ 7:30PM-8:30PM  
 Team McKeck's- Practice- Minden @ 8PM-9PM

### Saturday, November 5

Initiation 2- Practice- Minden @ 9AM-10AM  
 Initiation 1- Practice- Minden @ 10AM-11AM  
 Team Pharmasave vs. Bancroft- Bancroft @ 10AM  
 Team TD Canada Trust vs. Team Rotary- Minden @ 11AM  
 Team Canadian Tire vs. Bancroft- Minden @ 12PM  
 Team McKeck's vs. Bancroft- Minden @ 1:30PM  
 Team Home Hardware vs. Wilberforce- Minden @ 3PM



A Highland Storm player lugs the puck up ice. *File photo.*

## Storm reports

### The Highlander Midgets

The Highland Storm Midgets spent the weekend playing in the Brian English Memorial Tournament in Elmvale.

They began late Friday against the Listowel Cyclones, coming from behind for an entertaining 7-5 win.

The Storm had a sluggish start, falling behind two goals early in the first. But it didn't take them long to bounce back. Team captain Owen Patterson-Smith took a pass from Matt Manning, came around fast from behind the net and snapped it over the goalie's shoulder. Minutes later, Jacob Haedicke rushed to draw the attention of the defence then made a quick pass to Devyn Prentice who chipped it in to tie the game. From there, it was back and forth action with many shots. The Cyclones got another goal to end the first up 3-2.

The Storm got lucky and tied it with a deflection by Paydon Miscio assisted by Nolan Flood. A few minutes later, though, the Storm were down again by a goal. The intensity grew and the penalties began but Chris Thompson's tenacity paid off as he fought hard on a penalty kill to tie the game with a short-handed goal.

The teams worked hard in the third, with mostly 4-on-4 action. The Cyclones took

the lead once more with a power play goal. A few minutes later, Miscio took a pass from Owen Gilbert and expertly stick handled by the defense to tie the game once more. Shortly after, Flood took off from deep in the Storm end, picked up speed across center ice, went around the defense and popped it in, finally giving the Storm the lead at 6-5. The clock ticked away and Flood once more took a pass from Patterson-Smith to knock in the empty netter, securing the 7-5 win.

The next day, the team grasped a 5-3 win from the Shelbourne Wolves in a fast-paced, hard-hitting game. Early in the first, the Wolves took the lead. The Storm answered with a power play goal. Great passes and puck control from Flood and Shawn Walker gave Thompson the goal and put the Storm on the scoreboard.

Flood fed Miscio the puck and he rushed in and easily snuck it by the goalie, during the second.

Early in the third, the Wolves tied it. Seconds later, Flood and Gilbert made their way up the ice and got some shots off and Thompson picked up the rebound to beat the goalie on the blocker side for a 3-2 Storm lead. A couple of minutes later, it was a tied game once more. There was lots of action around the opponents'

net, the Storm working hard to dominate and take the lead. It was a lucky bounce that resulted in a goal, making it 4-3 for the Storm. Given to Patterson-Smith, help from Manning and Miscio. The Storm continued the pressure, a shot by Thompson came off the boards and Lucas Haedicke was there to quickly slam in the goal giving the Storm some breathing room and the game.

The third game of the tournament was against the Midland Centennials who handed the Storm a 2-0 defeat. It was an intense, hard-hitting game with a busy penalty box. With two wins and a loss, it put the Storm into the semi-finals where they met the Elmvale Coyotes.

The evenly matched teams offered a well-played game, with the Storm winning 2-1 in overtime. The first period showed some awesome end-to-end action and ended scoreless. The second began much the same. With just minutes left in the frame, Patterson-Smith chipped the puck out during a Coyotes power play and took off on a breakaway. He out-maneuvered the goalie and put the Storm on the scoreboard. There was some nail biting 5-on-3 action, with Carson Sisson standing strong in net. Later, a fluke shot got by to tie the game. That ended regular time and

the game went into a 4-on-4 overtime. The Storm worked hard with the open ice and it was Patterson-Smith who put the Storm into the finals with the winning goal, assisted by Flood. A well-earned win and a great game by all players.

The Storm came up against the Midland Centennials in the finals. They worked hard and did all they could but took second place, losing 2-0. It was an action-packed game, awesome plays, many shots and great saves by Parker Smolen. Hats off to all players for five games of great hockey and a fun-filled weekend. *(Submitted by Suzanne Haedicke)*

### Haliburton Timber Mart Novice

The Novice team hosted the Muskoka Rock for a double-header in league game action in Minden on Saturday. The Storm scored early in the first and dominated play from start to finish. It was another strong team performance with good passing, positioning and skating. Strong defensive play kept the Rock off the scoreboard earning net-minder Hudson Horsley his first novice game shutout.

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# Highland Storm



## TheHighlander 3-Stars of Last Week



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### Brechin Johnston NOVICE

With an average of seven points per game over a three-game weekend, it's no wonder that Brechin is our first star of the week. It started on Saturday when the Highland Storm Novice hosted the Muskoka Rock for a double-header. After tallying an impressive seven goals and three assists in the first game, Brechin recorded another 11 points over the final two games of the weekend.

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### McLean Rowden NOVICE

This past weekend, McLean showed his ability of adapting to any type of game. Choosing to ride shotgun to Brechin's high scoring act this weekend, McLean played set-up man, racking up an impressive six assists during the Saturday double-header against Muskoka. He wasn't done there, recording another two assists to go along with his two goals on Sunday against the Kawartha Coyotes.

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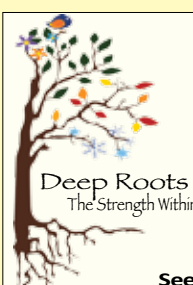
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### Nolan Flood MIDGET

The Highland Storm Midgets travelled to Elmvale this past weekend to take part in the Brian English Memorial Tournament. With five games in less than 72 hours, it was an exhausting weekend to say the least. Nolan Flood showed no signs of fatigue though, as he was able to get on the stat sheet every game in which the Storm scored. He finished the weekend with seven points over five games.



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# Highland Storm



## Storm reports

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Coming off that big win, the Storm were looking to keep their winning streak alive. The Rock came out much stronger, requiring the Storm to step up their defensive play and positioning. The Storm responded and were able to capitalize on some turnover opportunities. They finished their day on top with all players adding to the final tally. A great first game performance by Leland Kainellos and Jacob Lloyd helped the Storm end their day with a win. Way to go team.

The team was back on the ice Sunday against the Kawartha Coyotes. The Storm scored early in the first and were relentless with their offensive pressure and puck control. It was too much for the Coyotes to handle. The Storm moved the puck well and fought hard for the rebounds resulting in more tallies. The Storm defense held strong providing ample scoring opportunities. A great finish to the weekend with all Storm players contributing to the scoreboard and another shutout for Chase Winder. The team is on the road this weekend, travelling to Grand Bend for some tournament action. (Submitted by Janice Scheffee)

### The Pepper Mill Bantams

The Bantams played the Woodville Hurricanes at the S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena in Minden Friday. Unfortunately, the Storm came out on the wrong side

of a 4-1 defeat. The only Storm goal came from Nigel Smith, unassisted in the second period. The Bantams battled hard against a team they hadn't played before, who on this night, ended up being too strong for the Storm. We look forward to the rematch in Woodville Nov. 5.

The next home game for the bantam rep team is in Haliburton Nov. 4 at 8 p.m. vs. The Kawartha Coyotes. (Submitted by Jennifer Gill)

### Cottage Country Building Supplies/Ridgewood Ford Atom

The Atoms started their weekend with a double header vs The Parry Sound Shamrocks at home. The Atoms played hard but lost 6-1. Taylor Consack saved an awesome 37 shots. The single goal was scored by Austin Boylan.

In the second game, the Shamrocks won 9-1. The lone Storm goal was by Avery Degeer.

On Sunday, the Atoms travelled to Bracebridge to play the South Muskoka Bears. The boys played well but lost 4-2. Goals were scored by Aidan Perrott and Addison Carr.

The Atoms travel to Omemee Nov. 5 for a tournament. On Nov. 6, the Atoms travel to Huntsville for a game against the Huntsville Otters at 3:40 p.m. (Submitted by Amber Card)

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# Highlander sports



Right: Red Hawks goaltender Sonya Flatman stops an incoming shot. Left: Emma Scheffee, Paige Billings and Madison Allaire. Photos by Alex Coop.

## Expectations high for field hockey team

### Red Hawks reach OFSAA second year in a row

By Alex Coop

Cool, calm and collected is how one would describe the Haliburton Highlands field hockey team during a Monday afternoon practice, days before the biggest tournament of their season.

The Red Hawks, who finished their regular season with a perfect 4-0 record and added a Central Ontario Secondary School Athletic (COSSA) Championship to their belt Oct. 27, were fine-tuning their offence during a regular practice.

Today, they play their first OFSAA match against Dr. Frank J Hayden Secondary School in Kitchener. The gold medal game Saturday afternoon is where the Red Hawks want to be.

Despite a phenomenal regular season last year, the Red Hawks lost all their games during OFSSA, albeit only by a few goals.

It's not going to be easy this time either, says senior player Emma Scheffee, who experienced OFSAA last year, but she is prepared.

And so is the team, she says.

"If we play the way we have this season, we definitely have a chance ... we lost several players [to graduation] but we still knew what we were capable of this season," Scheffee said, attributing the team's repeated success to strong team chemistry. "Most of us know each other very well."

That team-first mentality was perhaps on its greatest display during a game against

the North Hastings High School Huskies in the COSSA final.

Despite the snow and shivering bodies, the Red Hawks bounced back from a 2-0 deficit, thanks to some late-game heroics by rookie Paige Billings, who scored her first goal of the year to tie the game with a few minutes to spare.

The Red Hawks ultimately pulled away 3-2 in the dying minutes after a goal scored by senior player Madison Allaire.

Head coach Steve Smith said his job at this point is to keep the team focused heading into the final stage of the season.

"There's a lot of hype going into it ... so I'm trying to get them to stick to the fundamentals, things they can control," he said. "There's a lot you can't control, like

the reffing, the weather, so you just have to perfect what you can."

During Monday's practice, Billings said she wasn't nervous at all, and thanked her teammates, and her coach, for having confidence in her.

"Everyone on this team is really nice," she said, adding moving forward she just wants to get better.

Playing in OFSAA will be a big part of that development, says Allaire.

Her advice for the younger players on the team, who haven't experienced this level of play before, is simple.

"There are a lot of good teams at that level," she said. "Play hard ... keep your stick on the ground."

## Jets reports

### Leveque Brothers/Rock Breakers Pee wee girls

The Leveque Brothers / Rock Breakers Pee wee Girls travelled to Lakefield Saturday to take on Ennismore. In a tight first period, the Jets Elyse Ives sniped one past the goaltender, assisted by Hailey Hudder and Emily Alexander. Not sitting comfortably with a one-goal lead, the Jets found the back of the net halfway through the second to open the lead to two, scored by Olivia Villamere, assisted by Emma Tidey. With a team effort, the Jets potted three more goals for a final score of 5-0, goals scored by Chloe Billings (2) and Ryan Rupnow, assists to Villamere, Tidey and Hudder.

Sunday, the girls played host to Otonabee in the first matchup of the season between these two teams. With another solid team effort and great goaltending, the Jets downed the Wolverines 8-0 to give Bella Smolen her second shutout of the weekend. Goals were scored by Tidey (2), Ives (3), Ava Smith (2) and Hudder. Assists going to Ives (2), Hudder (3), Tidey (3), Smith (2), Alexander, Rupnow, Villamere and Avery Coens. The Jets girls play Saturday in Haliburton at 6 p.m. when they take

on their rivals, the Peterborough Ice Kats. (Submitted)

### Parkview Dental/ Canadian Tire Bantams

Saturday saw the Parkview Dental/ Canadian Tire Bantam Girls Jets host the Lindsay Lynx on home ice.

During the first period, the Jets applied pressure and kept most of the play in the Lynx end. Both teams played hard with neither team scoring.

Period two saw the girls have to work even harder, as at one point the Lynx had a two-man advantage. The team persevered and kept skating despite a few penalties and held the game scoreless.

During the third, the tables turned and the Lynx drew several penalties resulting in the Jets having the advantage. Wanting to win and shut down Lindsay, Olivia Martin scored the first goal of the game, assisted by Haley Goulet at the nine-minute mark. About a minute later, Kendra Band put one in the net from the point, assisted by fellow defenseman, Marissa Cannon.

Both teams played hard from start to finish. Courtney Semach, refusing to be beat by the determined Lindsay team, shut

out the Lynx with a 2-0 final score.

The Jets are back on the ice this weekend with two home games at the NHCC. The first, on Nov. 5, is against the Cold Creek Comets at 4:30 p.m. and on Nov. 6 against the Otonabee Wolverines at 4:30 p.m.

(Submitted by Linda Goulett)

### Bancroft IDA/Red Eagle Family Campground Midgets

The Bancroft I.D.A. / Red Eagle Family Campground midget B girls travelled to Keene on Saturday to play the always tough Wolverines in an afternoon match-up.

After a scoreless first period, Keene took a 1-0 lead late in the second, scoring the first goal of the season on the Jets. Bancroft used the deficit to fuel a comeback. Kenndal Marsden slipped a five-hole wrister past the Wolverine tender early in the third period to tie it 1-1. Both teams tried to score a winner but neither squad could solve the riddle of their opposing goalie. The tie game keeps the Jets undefeated with a record of 4-0-1.

On Sunday afternoon in Bancroft, the Jets hosted the Ennismore Eagles. The Jets looked to find an offensive gear and

shake off their tie game, near first loss of the season as they took the ice against the Eagles. Jules Croskery opened the scoring with a beauty high blocker wrister midway through the first period. Croskery added her second, and eventual game winner, late in the first poking home a rebound to give Bancroft a 2-0 lead. Ennismore slipped a knuckleball bouncer into the Jets' net midway through the second to add some pressure. Sara Switzer fired a blue line wrister through a maze of traffic in front of the Eagle tender on the power play to restore the two goal lead at 3-1 early in the second. Marsden made the score 4-1 late in the second bouncing a shot off the Ennismore goalie from behind the goal line.

Switzer added her second of the game midway through the third, finishing off a sweet rush with a forehand - backhand five-hole deke to make the final score 5-1.

The Jets next home game is Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. in Bancroft against the Cold Creek Comets is currently being investigated to see if it may be re-scheduled. Bancroft's next two home games are Nov. 12 and 13, when they respectively host the Lindsay Lynx at 5 p.m. on Saturday and the Cold Creek Comets at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday.

(Submitted by Dan Marsden)



# Highlander Halloween



Top: Cayden Russell visits Terror on Wonderland Rd and takes a break during the maze.  
Above: Jesse Lawson, left, and Cameron Stewards dance up a storm prior to the Zombie Walk.

Zombie Rick Stewart gives it his all during the Zombie Walk. Photos by Alex Coop

## Did Zombie Walk just give up the ghost?

### Organizers say event will return despite low attendance

By Alex Coop

About \$750 was raised and more than 140 lbs. of food collected during this year's Zombie Walk and Terror on Wonderland Road.

Although the food and funds go to local food banks, the donations were well short of previous years' totals, which exceeded 200 lbs. of food and \$3,000.

The organizer behind Terror on Wonderland Road, Cathy Barnett, said people had a great time, and she was thankful for the volunteers who helped make the event possible.

The only problem was, there weren't many of them.

"The sad part is we only have a base number of people we can count on every year, and eventually, they are going to get tired of always being called upon," she said.

This applied to the Zombie Walk as well,

she said, which had about 20 participants Saturday afternoon.

"We will give the walk one more year, but we have to start planning for this well ahead of time, in the summer," she said. "We need more activities in the park."

A lack of support from businesses in Haliburton didn't help either, she said.

The walk's organizer, Art Theberge, suggested a committee to begin planning well ahead of time, in addition to getting more community support.

"Getting the community involved is important," he said. "I had zero volunteers ... I put an ad

in the paper, but not one called." Despite the low turnout, Theberge and Barnett said seeing the people actively participating in these events put a smile on their face.

"When people get into it, they get into it," Barnett laughed. "I love doing this, and the reason why we do it ... we just can't keep doing it ourselves."

*The sad part is we only have a base number of people we can count on every year ...*

**Cathy Barnett**  
Organizer



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The Township of Minden Hills is currently in the process of updating the Development and Operations Plan for the Scotch Line Waste Disposal Site. The updated Development and Operations Plan will provide current information as well as future planned operations for both the landfill and transfer station operations. The secondary part of the Development and Operations Plan is to complete a review and assess potential revenue generation and diversion opportunities.

Council and Staff seek further input on the Scotch Line Waste Disposal Site Development and Operations Plan and invites residents to a Public Meeting scheduled for **Saturday November 5, 2016**, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Council Chambers located at 7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario to share the proposed draft plans and give residents an opportunity to provide their input and complete the survey.

Copies of the survey and viewing of the Draft Plans may be obtained by one of the following methods:

- Visiting the Township website: <http://mindenhills.ca/environmental-services/landfill-operations/>
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## Minden family Halloween party

Top left: A friendly lego figure poses for a photo. Top right: Betty Mark, left, and Jeanne Anthon greet people at the main entrance of the Minden Community Centre, where a Family Halloween Party took place Oct. 28. Above: from left, Kaelem Little, Tristan Arnold and Anderson Lippolis moments before they hit the dance floor.

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**MINI COMPUTER CLASSES**, Kinmount, \$22.60/class, November 14: Working with files and folders, 10 a.m. - 12 noon. November 17: Intro to Microsoft Word, 10 a.m. - 12 noon. Contact Jenna at LearnIT 705-874-1480 or [info@learnitforbeginners.ca](mailto:info@learnitforbeginners.ca)

## FOR SALE



**SHOP THRIFT WAREHOUSE** 8000 sq ft of FUN! Stop by and browse 100's of new items daily. 128 Mallard Rd, Haliburton. Tues-Sat 10am-5pm or visit at [Facebook.com/thriftwarehouse](http://Facebook.com/thriftwarehouse)

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**LAREDO TRAILER** 240MK, 24 feet long, dinette slide, furnace, A/C, bathroom, TV. \$23,000 Phone 705-457-0790 after 5 p.m.

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**DUE TO A RENOVATION** we have to sell two five feet standard vinyl patio doors in perfect working condition. Asking \$300 each, or \$ 500 for both. Please email 'jurgendiet@hotmail.com

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**Classifieds \$8**  
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# Highlander classifieds

## THE VETERANS OF HALIBURTON COUNTY

Seventy-one years after the end of the Second World War, the fading of a generation calls upon us to stop and pay attention before they are gone.

These are what real heroes look like. They are our friends and neighbours. They are people we've never met but to whom we owe so much.

*The Highlander* was privileged to interview 11 local veterans. These are their stories.

Visit [thehighlander.ca](http://thehighlander.ca) to watch.



Martin Hofland

### Veteran Videos

Billy Pickard - Oct 7	Bob MacBrien - Oct 25
Ted Procher - Oct 11	Mabel Brannigan - Oct 28
Lorne Dinesen - Oct 14	Murray Whetung - Nov 1
Chuck Viner - Oct 18	Martin Hofland - Nov 4
Ralph Mintz - Oct 21	Parry Huiser - Nov 11
Len Crawford - Nov 11	

This project has been funded in part by the Government of Canada.



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### HELP WANTED



Women's Health Care Centre  
Peterborough Regional Health Centre

**Clinical Counsellor/Therapist**  
**Temporary Full Time Contract**  
**Expiring November 17, 2017**  
(With possibility of extension)  
**CUPE Local 3521**

The YWCA exists to support the right of all women and their families to live free from violence, poverty and oppression. We seek a Counsellor/Therapist (35hours/week) for our Women's Counselling & Well Being Program, YWCA Haliburton Office, to fill a leave of absence contract.

#### Major responsibilities:

To provide psychosocial assessments, clinical counselling, and case co-ordination services to women who have experienced violence, sexual assault or childhood sexual abuse. To provide consultative services on violence against women issues and to co-facilitate psycho-educational groups.

#### Qualifications:

Bachelor's degree in Social Work, Counselling or equivalent, with three years experience in direct counselling, or a Master's degree in Social Work, Counselling or equivalent with one year direct clinical counselling experience. Knowledge of clinical issues involved in violence against women, sexual assault, and childhood sexual abuse, and demonstrated ability to apply this knowledge in a women-centered and women directed counselling model. Thorough understanding of rural environments and issues. Excellent communication skills in English, (written and verbal) with additional languages an asset. Computer literacy and ability to use Microsoft Word. Demonstrated ability to work as part of a client-focused team. Commitment to anti-oppression work. Must have access to a vehicle, valid driver's license and appropriate insurance.

A full job description is available at [www.ywcapeterborough.org](http://www.ywcapeterborough.org)  
Please direct resume and cover letter by noon November 14, 2016 to:  
Darlene Smith-Harrison, Outreach Services Coordinator, YWCA Women's Centre of Haliburton County, P.O. Box 348 Minden Ontario K0M 2K0 Or by e-mail to [dsmith-harrison@ywcapeterborough.org](mailto:dsmith-harrison@ywcapeterborough.org)  
**The YWCA seeks to be an equal opportunity employer.**



HALIBURTON COUNTY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION  
A Community Futures Development Corporation

### Board of Directors Opportunity

The Haliburton County Development Corporation (HCDC) is a not-for-profit organization that provides loans and funding to businesses and community organizations. Our funding is provided by the Government of Canada through FedDev Ontario.

We are looking for a resident of Haliburton County to add to our professional team of volunteers. Specifically we are seeking individuals who:

- Are interested in local, regional, and provincial community development
- Have an understanding of financial statements
- Have the desire and ability to attend monthly Committee and quarterly Board meetings
- Can commit to a minimum 3 year term

If you feel you have the time and energy to be a Director please send your cover letter and resume by November 11, 2016 to:

Haliburton County Development Corporation  
P.O. Box 210, 235 Highland Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Haliburton, Ontario K0M1S0  
Attention: Patti Tallman, Assistant Director  
Tel: 705.457.3555 Fax: 705.457.3398  
E-mail to: [ptallman@haliburtoncdc.ca](mailto:ptallman@haliburtoncdc.ca)

For further information please access our website at: [www.haliburtoncdc.ca](http://www.haliburtoncdc.ca) or contact the HCDC at 705-457-3555.



### EVENTS

## Wintergreen Maple Products Christmas Treasures Sale 2016

3325 Gelert Road 705-286-3202

Find Great Christmas Gift Ideas

Enjoy Hot Mulled Cider and Christmas Goodies

Enter Draw For A Beautiful Gift Basket

**Shop For:** Corporate gifts, maple syrup, honey, candy, birdhouses, candles, jewelry, knitting, stationery, gift baskets, soaps, scarves and many more gift items!

#### Hours of Operation

Saturday Nov. 5 & Sunday Nov. 6..... 9 am- 4 pm

Saturday Nov. 12 & Sunday Nov. 13..... 9 am- 4 pm

"Cheque or Cash Only"

\*Personal Shopper on staff to help with your gift-buying  
(leave the list with us and we will get it done!)

The Restaurant will not be open



# Highlander classifieds

## HELP WANTED



### IT SUPPORT

**Full-time position available @ Haliburton HQ!**

Support 40 in an MS infrastructure. Knowledge of hardware, diagnostics, Windows Server OS & roles (Active Dir, DNS, DHCP, Exchange, IIS, etc.), installation/configuring OS & applications, maintenance, documentation, testing, troubleshooting, etc. Exp with MS Office and other business apps (Salesforce, Citrix, Adobe Creative Cloud, Gmail, Pardot). Ideal candidate is innovative and organized with a great attitude.

Email [dbutchart@patientnews.com](mailto:dbutchart@patientnews.com)  
Cover letter & resume required  
Subject line: "IT Support"

Patient News is a **STAND OUT** dental marketing agency & a **GREAT** company to work for (A Canada Top 100 Employer)!

## FOR SALE

4 CHEVY 6-BOLT RIMS, factory alum with snow tires + spare, \$250. TWO FRONT GRILLS for Chevy, light shades and bug deflector, \$100. In W Guilford. Call 519-757-5892

LUXURY 5TH WHEEL, 2011 Wildcat model 31TS, exterior length 34'8", 3 slides, queen bed, double sofa bed, non smokers, mint, \$22,500. 905-883-0305 or [debam@rogers.com](mailto:debam@rogers.com)

## WANTED

LOOKING FOR WITNESS(ES) to accident: My mother and I were hit by a sand truck on November 11, 2013 on Dover Hill (Hwy 118). Please contact me if you were on Dover Hill between 4 – 8 p.m., witnessed the condition of the roadway or hill, or saw any accident. Contact [doverhill2013@outlook.com](mailto:doverhill2013@outlook.com)

## LOST

LOST CAT: ORANGE & WHITE FEMALE, spayed, no collar. Last seen at Echo Hills, Eastern Ave & Independence St., Haliburton. Answers to "Mindy". Call 705-306-0459 with information.

## FOR RENT

2 BEDROOM NEWLY RENOVATED apartment for rent. \$800.00/month, plus Hydro, Hydro must be in tenant's name, first and last required, no smoking, no pets. Rental application available at Riverview Furniture. Private access.

## FOR RENT

Very close to downtown Minden, the lower unit of a house. Private entrance, big yard. \$500 a month, utilities included. First, last, references and non smoking. 705-286-2900

700 SQ. FT, BRIGHT BASEMENT STUDIO apartment, West Guilford, \$860 incl. utilities. First & Last, non-smoking/no pets. References from previous landlord, proof of employment. 705-754-9627.

Classifieds \$8

## HELP WANTED



### County of Haliburton IT Technician

We are recruiting for full time IT Technician. You will have excellent problem solving and critical thinking skills to diagnose simple to complex IT problems. As a results oriented individual, you will possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills while providing an outstanding service to our clients.

Requirements for this position include a thorough understanding of network and communication principles, achieved through a diploma in Information Technology and a related discipline of 1 -2 years of technical knowledge and skills gained through proven work experience. Hourly rate is \$27.01 with a comprehensive benefits package.

Resumes and covering letter should be submitted electronically to Andrea Bull, Human Resources Manager, [abull@county.haliburton.on.ca](mailto:abull@county.haliburton.on.ca) by Friday, November 11, 2016 at 4:30pm.

A copy of the detailed job description is available online at [www.haliburtoncounty.ca](http://www.haliburtoncounty.ca). The interview evaluation process will include testing of IT skills required for this position.

We thank you for your application, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted. The County of Haliburton is an equal opportunity Employer. In accordance with the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, the information gathered will be used solely for the purpose of job selection.

## EVENTS

### Haliburton Royal Canadian Legion Ladies Auxiliary

Invite you to our

## SNOWFLAKE BAZAAR

**Saturday Nov. 5, 2016**

**9:00am – 2:00pm**

*Craft tables, Bake Table,  
Lunch Counter*

**For more info call  
705-754-3319**

EXECUTIVE APARTMENT FOR LEASE, 1200 sq.ft spacious 2-bdrm apt in Haliburton. Hwy 118 exposure, recently renovated, appliances, large deck, two sunrooms, neutral décor. Would suit business as an office or quiet tenant. Non-smokers/no pets. References. For further info call 705-457-9209

TWO BEDROOM HOME rental, \$900.00 monthly plus utilities. Includes snow plowing of driveway and grass cutting. First and last, no pets. Dec. 1st. 705-489-3131 Carnarvon.

COBOCONK APARTMENT FOR RENT – 1100 sq. ft. spacious bright 2-bdrm apartment in downtown Coboconk. Walk to grocery, hardware stores and restaurants. Recently renovated, appliances, neutral décor. Would suit older person. Non-smoker/no pets. References. Call 705-454-3913 for further information.

## HELP WANTED

DRIVERS needed for Hyland Taxi. G License for taxi is required. B,C or F License for 11 passenger van and bus. Call 705-457-9898

Classifieds \$8  
705-457-2900

## EVENTS

THOSE OTHER  
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MOVIES

### LABYRINTH OF LIES

Germany, Historical Drama, Subtitles, R, 2 hours

In Germany, 15 years after World War II, one young man forces an entire country to face its past.

**Thursday November 10th 4:15 7:15**

**\$10 at the door**

Next month: The Meddler

705-286-3696 [www.haliburton-movies.com](http://www.haliburton-movies.com)  
Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion

## OBITUARIES



### John Thomas (Jack) Glenn

(Formerly of Haliburton, Ontario)

It is with saddened hearts that we announce the passing of Jack on Sunday October 23, 2016 in his 90th year. Predeceased by his beloved wife Muriel. Loving father of Greg (Karyn) and Cindy (Rick Campanella). Jack will be missed by his grandchildren Michael (Christie), Kevin (Erin), Jeremy (Vanessa), Alicia (Mark Webster) and Karen (Ray Nagel). Loving great grandfather of 8 little wonders and a ninth he was so excited to meet. He is free from pain and with his beloved wife again.

#### Memorial Service & Reception

Friends are invited to call at the **STONEY CREEK UNITED CHURCH** 1 King St. W. Stoney Creek, Ontario on Wednesday morning, November 2, 2016 for a Memorial Service at 11 o'clock. As expressions of sympathy, donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the **HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME** 13523 Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209.



[www.communityfuneralhomes.com](http://www.communityfuneralhomes.com)



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**HALIBURTON VILLAGE  
SANTA CLAUS PARADE**

*This year's theme:*  
**PROUD TO BE CANADIAN**

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25TH AT 6:30**

**BANDS...HORSES...MARCHERS...BRIGHT LIGHTS**

To enter your float contact

**Jim Frost at 705 457-4031**

or

**frostdownhome@bellnet.ca**

**"Tree Lighting and  
Carols" at the "Town  
Tree" at 6:00 pm and  
"Winter Warm-Up" at the  
Legion after the parade**

**REMEMBER - NO PARKING ON HIGHLAND STREET  
FOR SAFETY AND GOOD VIEWING**

*The parade is proudly brought to you by the Haliburton BIA  
and the Haliburton & District Lions Club*



**"LEST WE FORGET"**



**ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH 636  
AND THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS**

**INVITES ALL CITIZENS  
TO JOIN US  
IN HONOURING THE VETERANS**

who gave their lives so  
bravely so that we  
could live freely

**PLEASE JOIN US**  
on Friday November 11, 2016  
to show our respect  
for those who have passed on

Remembrance Day Parade will commence at 10:30 am,  
downtown Minden from the Dominion Hotel to the  
County Cairn at the Village Green.  
A moment of silence will be observed at 11:00 am.

*Public are invited to the Legion afterwards for refreshments.*

*Ceremony will be held at the Minden Hills Community Centre  
in the event of inclement weather.*

**MINDEN HILLS**  
IN SEASON, EVERY SEASON

## FUNERAL SERVICES

Visit **CAREY'S FLOWER SHOP**  
for all your fresh flower arrangements for any  
occasion. 705-286-0148 careysflowersminden.com

**Classifieds**

**\$8**

## OBITUARIES



### *In Loving Memory of* **Corinne Albina Arsenault (nee LeBlanc)**

*(Chair and Co-ordinator for Hyland Crest Palliative Care, One of the original 6 founding members of the Minden Health Care Auxiliary and was a member for 16 years)*

Passed away at the South Muskoka Memorial Hospital, Bracebridge, on Sunday, October 23, 2016 with her family at her side at the age of 83.

Beloved wife of Hector. Dear mother of Paul and his wife Anne of Newcastle, Pat and her husband Tom of Minden, Marilyn and her husband Rob of Bracebridge. Loving grandmother of Catharine, Christine, Juliette, Jessica, Meghan, Kyle, Mark and great grandmother of Julia, Lexi, Soleil, Autumn and Isla. Dear sister of Ed LeBlanc and predeceased by Gloria Lucescu. Sister-in-law of Paul Arsenault and Martin Arsenault. Fondly remembered by her many nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Friends are invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., P.O. Box 427, Minden K0M 2K0 on Saturday, November 5, 2016 from 12:00 o'clock noon until the time of the Service to Celebrate Corinne's Life at 1:00 pm. Reception to follow in the Monk-Cray Family Centre. Cremation has taken place.

Memorial Donations to the Minden Health Care Auxiliary would be appreciated by the family.



[www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com](http://www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com)



### *In Loving Memory of* **John Alexander Toye**

*(Retired Employee of General Motors)*

Passed away at the Peterborough Regional Health Centre on Monday, October 24, 2016, with his loving family by his side. At the age of 73.

Beloved husband of Carol. Dear father of Brenda (Jeff) Manser, and Donna Toye (Greg Stamp). Loving gramps of Amanda, Michael, Daniel (Caitlyn), loving "paw" of Cole and great grampa of Bailey, Logan and Lucas. Dear brother of June Wilson, predeceased by his brother Tim Toye, and by his brother-in-law Ted Wilson. Son of the late Earl and Lena Toye. Fondly remembered by his family and friends.

Friends are invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., P.O. Box 427, Minden K0M 2K0 on Friday, October 28, 2016 from 11:00 am until the time of the Service to Celebrate John's Life at 1:00 pm. Reception to follow in the Monk-Cray Family Centre. Cremation has taken place.

Memorial Donations to the Canadian Cancer Society or to the Charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family.



[www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com](http://www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com)



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Services**

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Minden, ON 705-286-2181  
[www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com](http://www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com)

## PREVIOUS WEEK'S ANSWERS

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# Highlander classifieds

HELP WANTED

FULL-TIME CASHIER/CLERK POSITION, Stedmans V&S Minden. Immediate opening. Must be friendly and a team player. Lottery terminal experience an asset. Apply in person with resume, or call 705-286-1075 for an appointment.

EVENTS

ARTS COUNCIL - Haliburton Highlands Annual General Meeting Wednesday November 16, 2016 5:30-7:30 Haliburton Highlands Museum. All are welcome to attend.

OPEN HOUSE - HIGHLANDS EAST Fire Department, Sat., Nov. 12, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Join us for FREE family fun at 2259 Loop Rd, Wilberforce, rain or shine. Call 705-448-2440 for info.

EVENTS

FOUR PLAY – 3 great bands (The Sheagles, Drifter, Loney & Love) + 1 great drama, “George is Dead”. Sunday, November 6th, 2016, at the Haliburton Legion, 2 p.m. Doors open at 1:30 p.m. Tickets \$10, PG-13.

MONDAY MEDITATION Gatherings. Inceptional Soul Services hosts guided relaxation through meditation every Monday until Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. at Light Hatch Studio, 156 Highland St. \$10 drop-in fee. Contact nancy@inceptionalsoul.com

COUNTRY JAMBOREE, Coboconk Legion, Sunday November 13th 1 - 5 p.m. Open mic, cost \$8.00, light lunch available.

EVENTS

*Happy Retirement*

Haliburton Veterinary Services would like to invite our clients and friends to an open house for Dr. Joan Grant in appreciation of her 27 years of devoted service.

Please join us at the Pinestone Resort on November 6<sup>th</sup> from 2-4 p.m. as we celebrate a well deserved retirement.

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DOWN

- 33. Observe
- 34. Horse's hair
- 35. Cattle calls
- 36. Splendor
- 38. Fishing pole
- 40. Annoy
- 41. Heavenly food
- 43. Flower wreath
- 44. Chopping tool
- 45. Convey
- 51. Piano part
- 52. Ingest
- 53. Wading bird
- 54. City railways
- 55. Coloring fluid
- 56. Go-between

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- 2. Couple
- 3. Lobe location
- 4. Slip up
- 5. Kitchen gadget
- 6. Baseball glove
- 7. Lyric verse
- 8. Internet access device
- 9. Water \_\_\_\_ (like some watches)
- 10. Army division
- 11. Netting
- 16. Rough
- 20. Serious plays
- 21. First man
- 22. Zilch
- 23. Legal advisors
- 24. Instruction
- 27. Lamprey
- 28. Intensify
- 30. Single time
- 31. Equal
- 37. Female Japanese entertainer
- 39. Out of style
- 41. Create
- 42. Figure skater's jump
- 43. Tardy
- 46. Beam
- 47. Wooden nail
- 48. Raw metal
- 49. \_\_\_\_ Howard of "Happy Days"
- 50. Explosive (abbr.)



# What's on

## NOVEMBER 2016 EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>EVERY FRIDAY</b> <b>Shinny Hockey</b> 5 – 6 p.m. at AJ LaRue Arena in Haliburton. Full equipment required. \$5/person. Contact Andrew Wilbee for details 705-457-2083.  <b>Carpet Bowling</b> at Cardiff Community Centre, 1 – 3 p.m.  <b>EVERY SUNDAY</b> <b>Public Skating</b> at SG Nesbitt Arena in Minden, Noon – 2 p.m. \$2/person  <b>Sunday Shinny</b> at SG Nesbitt Arena in Minden, 10 am – Noon, \$2/person, Full protective gear required. Contact Elsha Weiss for details 705-286-2298 or eweiss@minderhills.ca					<b>10th Annual Haliburton International Film Festival</b> , Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion. \$40 VIP Pass gets you in to all 7 films plus the Highlander Veterans short films and the 10th Anniversary Gala Party on Nov 6th. Haliburton-movies.com/festival.html or call 705-286-2644	<b>Minden Hills Cultural Centre</b> presents "Canada Remembers", screening two films: "The Liberators" by Terence Macartney-Filigate, and "The Veterans of Haliburton County", a HighlanderTV Production.
<b>Public Skating</b> at AJ LaRue Arena, Haliburton 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., \$2/person.		<b>Environment Haliburton! Enviro-Café – "The Healthy Shorelines Campaign"</b> , a presentation by Paul MacInnes of the Coalition of Haliburton Property Owners' Associations. 7:30 p.m. at Minden United Church, 21 Newcastle St. Contact Terry Moore for info tmoore7031@gmail.com or 705-306-9254	<b>Indoor Walking</b> at AJ LaRue Arena in Haliburton. The auditorium is available from 1 – 2 p.m. for indoor walking, \$2 per walk or pay \$20 for the whole season (Nov – Mar). Contact Andrea Mueller for details 705-457-1740 or amueller@dysartetal.ca	<b>19th Annual Festival of Trees</b> , Kawartha Settler's Village, 85 Dunn St., Bobcaygeon.	<b>REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONIES</b> Cobocook 11 a.m. at the Legion Haliburton 11 a.m. at the cenotaph Minden 10:45 a.m. at the cenotaph Norland 10:45 a.m. at the cenotaph Wilberforce 11 a.m. at the cenotaph	<b>Shop early for Christmas</b> at Minden Health Care Auxiliary's BAUBLES'N BAGS Sale. 1 – 4 p.m. at Hyland Crest Auditorium on MacPherson Street. Cash or Cheque Only. Jewelry, Purses, Scarves, Refreshments & much more!
<b>COUNTRY JAMBOREE</b> , Cobocook Legion, Sunday November 13th 1 – 5 p.m. Open m/c, cost \$8.00, light lunch available.  <b>Haliburton Folk Society</b> presents Valdy in concert, Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion, Haliburton. 2 p.m., Tickets available haliburtonfolk.com	<b>Howl Games Night</b> at the Dorset Recreation Centre. Drop in Mondays from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. All ages from 9 to 90 welcome! Bring your own games or choose from our selection. \$5/adults, \$2.50 youth/senior, or free with membership.	<b>Haliburton Highlands Transportation Summit</b> , Haliburton Legion 8:30 a.m. To participate, call 705-464-2422.	<b>"How to Look Good Naked in a Spa"</b> , presented by Lorraine McNeil and Brigitte Gail, performers, writers and comedians. 7 – 9 p.m. at the HHQA Fish Hatchery, 6712 Gelett Rd., \$10/person. To reserve your seat contact Yours Outdoors 705-754-3436 or info@yoursoutdoors.ca	Don't forget today's edition of <b>The Highlander</b>		<b>HUNTSVILLE FARMERS' MARKET CHRISTMAS SHOW</b> - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Trinity United Church, Huntsville, 33 Main Street, Huntsville, ON

## ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION EVENTS

<b>HALIBURTON BRANCH</b> Monday bridge 1pm Tuesday dart league starting at 7 p.m. Wednesday bid euchre 1 p.m. start, bingo doors open at 8 p.m., bingo starts at 7 p.m. - \$500 jackpot, \$1000 jackpot - last Wednesday of the month. Thursday general meeting second Thursday of the month starting at 7:30 p.m. All members urged to attend. Ladies auxiliary last Thursday of the month at 1 p.m. Friday cribbage 1 p.m. start. Meat draw five draws, five prizes each draw, first draw at 4:30 p.m., last draw at 8:30 p.m., tickets \$2 per draw ... Chester Howse, MC Friday fun darts - 4:30 p.m. onwards Saturday 50/50 draw 4 p.m. draw, tickets \$1 each from noon onwards	Sunday breakfast second and fourth Sunday of the month – 9:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. \$8 per person. Occasional volunteers are needed. Upcoming events: Ladies Auxiliary Snowflake Bazaar Nov. 5, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. For more details call 705-754-3319. Live entertainment featuring the Highlands Trio Nov. 5 4-7 p.m. in the Club Room. Enjoy cabbage rolls for only \$8 prepared by the Ladies Auxiliary. \$5 cover charge for non-members. Remembrance Day service 10 a.m. Nov. 11 and dinner in the main hall – doors open at 5 p.m. / dinner at 6 p.m. – \$20 per person. Anyone or organization wishing to lay a Remembrance Day wreath, please contact the branch. Whether you're planning a function for	10 or 200, for more information call the Legion today at 705-457-2571  <b>MINDEN BRANCH</b> General meeting, first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m. start Ladies darts, Wednesday, 1-4 p.m. Euchre, Thursday, 7 p.m. Fish/wings & chips, Friday, 12-2 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. Mixed darts, Friday 7:30 p.m. Big euchre, first Sunday of the month (except holidays), noon, \$12 Sports fan day, Sunday, 12-5 p.m. Lunch menu, Monday – Friday, 12-2 p.m. Liver lovers' special, Tuesday 12-2 p.m. (full menu also) Meat draws, Wednesday lunch time. Watch for local posters and listen to	Canoe FM, and Moose FM, for special events on Saturdays.  <b>WILBERFORCE BRANCH</b> Friday pool 1:30 p.m. ham & scalloped dinner 5-7 p.m. jam session 7:30 p.m. Saturday meat draw 2 p.m. – early bird 3 p.m. SHARP Monday bid euchre 7 p.m. beginners welcome Wednesday fun darts 7:30 p.m. Important: If you have an hour to spare to help this year's Poppy Campaign, please contact the branch at 705-448-2221 to sign up. Thank you.
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**FREE EVENTS!**


# YPN

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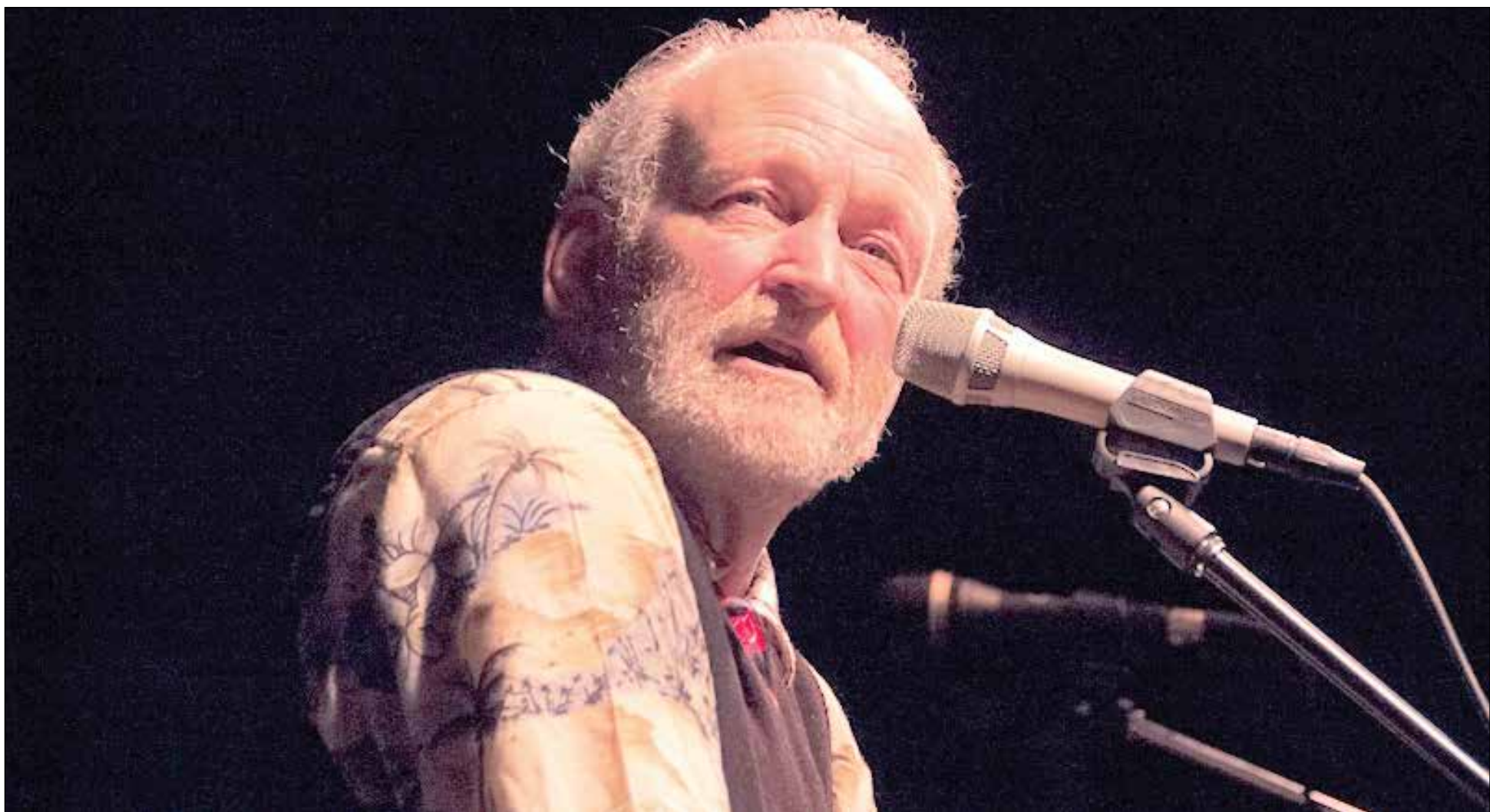
## Every last THURSDAY of the month

Check Facebook page for upcoming events and locations.





# What's on



A photo of Valdy performing a few years ago. *Photo submitted.*

## Anticipation builds for Valdy concert

By Mark Arike

Canadian folk icon Valdy is hitting the road and heading to the Highlands on Nov. 13.

Tickets are expected to sell out for the concert, which is part of the Haliburton County Folk Society's concert series.

"He's well known and a superb performer," said folk society president Barrie Martin.

The afternoon concert starts at 2 p.m. at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion.

Valdy, whose full name is Paul Valdemar Horsdal, is perhaps best known for his first mainstream single titled "Play Me a Rock and Roll Song." But the 71-year-old Ottawa-born artist has a long list of musical

accomplishments spanning four decades.

He has sold more than half a million copies of his 16 albums, earned four gold records (500,000 units sold) and won two Juno awards.

Valdy is a singer-songwriter, guitarist and a bassist.

"He is an observer of people and places and has the gift of catching the small but meaningful moments in our lives through the lyrics of his many songs," according to a press release.

He has also made numerous television appearances and played a lead role in an episode of *The Beachcombers* series.

And this won't be Valdy's first show in the area. He performed at The Dominion Hotel

in Minden in July of 2015.

"There's going to be a lot of songs people recognize," said Martin. "Valdy is a really warm and entertaining guy. A real down-to-earth guy."

The folk society has been offering its concert series for the past 10 or so years. This year's first concert featured Betty and the Bobs at the Minden Hills Community Centre. About 200 people attended.

There are five concerts in the series.

A committee of six embarks on choosing the lineup. They go "shopping" at the Folk Music Ontario conference.

"I probably heard about 80 performances," Martin laughed, recalling last weekend's event.

They compare notes, look for common interests and make a list of their top 10 acts. The final selections form the following year's series.

"Anyone we bring to the Highlands, we know that they're good. We're confident anyone who comes to the concert will enjoy it."

The folk society has a loyal local following, but the series also draws many visitors to town, Martin said.

Tickets are available online at [haliburtonfolk.com](http://haliburtonfolk.com) or in-person at The Source in Haliburton and Organic Times in Minden.

For more information call 705-754-3655 or visit the website.

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# 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Haliburton International Film Festival

# November 4–6.2016

Join us after the films for our  
10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala – Sunday, November 6 at 1PM



## MARGUERITE

Drama – Subtitles – Rated R – 128 min  
Friday, November 4 at 6:15PM

This touching, funny, and thoughtful, film about a socialite and aspiring opera singer is ultimately an inspirational look at the nature of art and the value of a dream.



## HEVN (REVENGE)

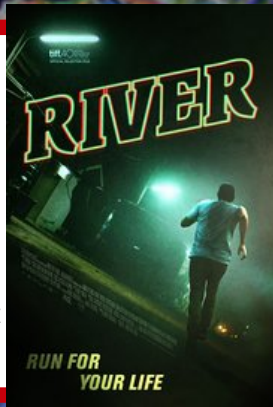
Drama – Subtitles – Rated 14A – 100 min  
Saturday, November 5 at 3:30PM

Rebekka arrives unannounced at a beautiful inn in the mountains of Norway posing as a travel reporter. It soon becomes evident that she has sinister intentions.

## RIVER

Thriller – English – Rated PG – 95 min  
Friday, November 4 at 9PM

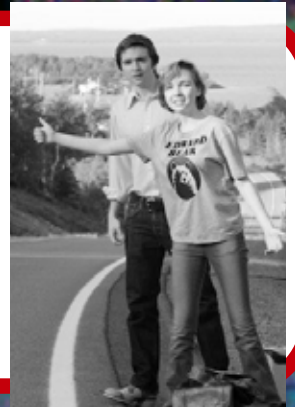
In the south of Laos, an American volunteer doctor becomes a fugitive after he intervenes in the sexual assault of a young woman.



## WEIRDOS

Drama – Rated PG – 89 min  
Saturday, November 5 at 7:30PM

Nova Scotia. 1976. It's the weekend of the American Bicentennial and 15-year-old Kit is running away from home.



## DHEEPAN

Drama – Subtitles – Rated R – 100 min  
Saturday, November 5 at 10AM

A Tamil soldier poses as the husband and father of two other refugees in order to escape their ravaged homeland.



## THE VETERANS OF HALIBURTON COUNTY

Documentary – Not Rated – 30 min  
Sunday, November 6 at 10AM

Two in a series of eleven interviews with local veterans produced by *The Highlander*.

## MUSTANG

Drama – Subtitles – Rated PG13 – 97 min  
Saturday, November 5 at 1:30PM

In a Turkish village, conservative guardians confine five orphan girls while forced marriages are arranged. Academy Nominee for Best Foreign Language Film.



## LES INNOCENTES

Drama – Subtitles – Rated PG13 – 115 min  
Sunday, November 6 at 11AM

In 1945 Poland, a young French Red Cross doctor discovers, during a visit to a nearby convent, several nuns in advanced stages of pregnancy. Based on true events.



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